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Knews and Komments

We are quickly approaching our first anniversary as a newspaper. Only a few months more and we will have reached our first year as your little paper. I must say, it has not always been easy, but, it has been very enjoyable.

We have taken to task several situations that have needed attention, and we have been very fortunate in doing what we set out to do with the help of many, both private citizen and public office holders.

We certainly hope you have been able to see some of the changes brought about because of your support with this paper, and with your continued support, there will be more done for our city.

We have found that in most instances, the Mayor has been very cooperative in taking care of certain situations that has needed taken care of. Some of the Council people, Pennington, Gear and Lambert have been very helpfull in clearing up complaints by our citizens. We thank them all for their help.

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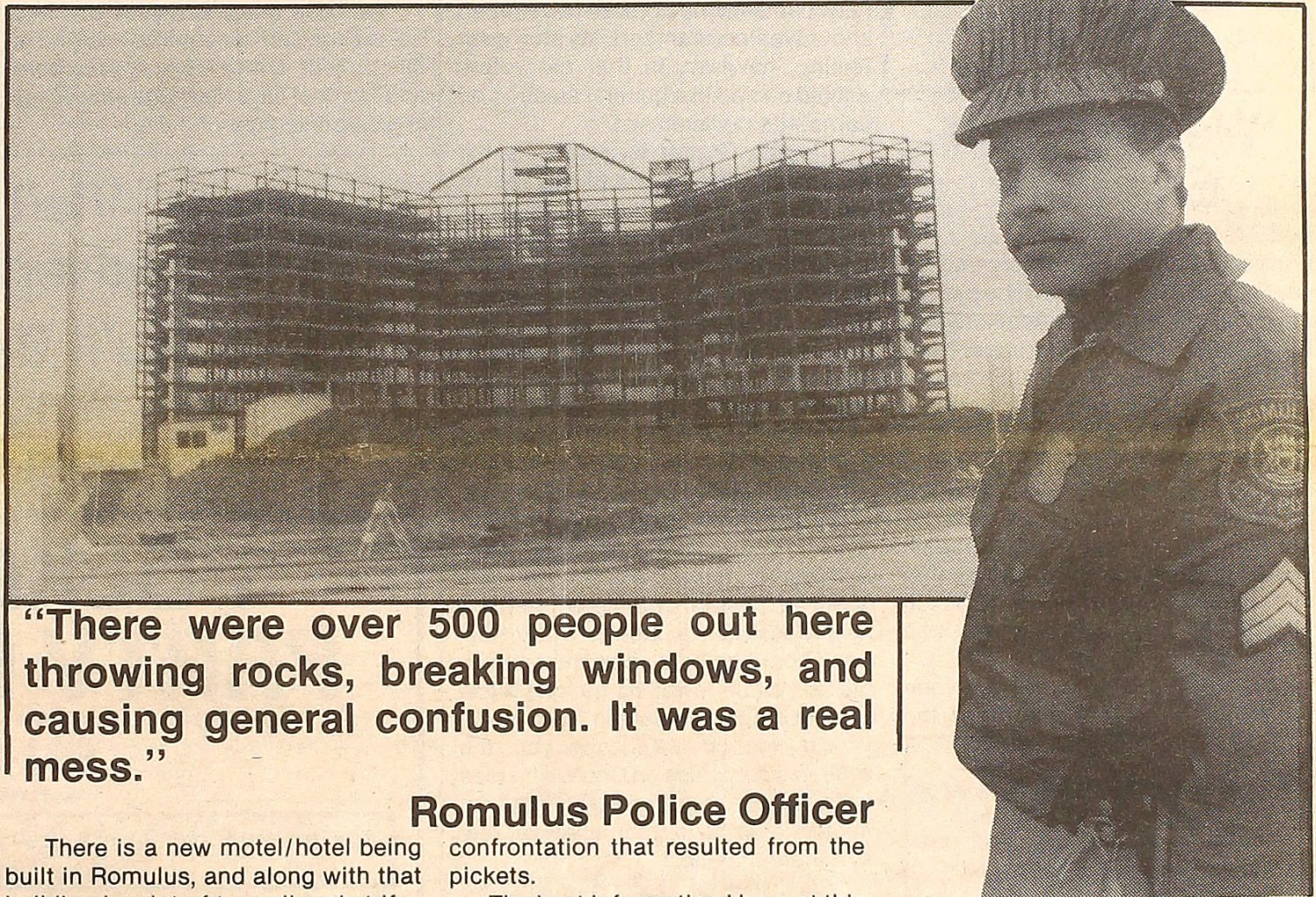
Thank you for this year in advance, and with your continued help and support, we will continue bringing you the news you want to read about.

NO GAMBLING

It has been brought to our attention once again by the Mayor and Representative Kosteva, that, as far as they are concerned, there will be no gambling in Michigan, and especially Romulus.

It was brought to everyones attention recently in a communication from Rep. Kosteva that, where there is gambling, there is vice although controlled to some degree in the immediate gambling area. However, the surrounding areas of a city that has gambling reeks with poverty and ghet-to type living. For this reason alone, there should be no gambling allowed in this city or state.

Rock Throwing Pickets Cost Romulus Taxpayers Extra Money!!



"There were over 500 people out here throwing rocks, breaking windows, and causing general confusion. It was a real mess."

Romulus Police Officer

There is a new motel/hotel being built in Romulus, and along with that building is a lot of turmoil and strife.

Two weeks ago, there was a demonstration by some of the trade unions that brought an estimated 500 people to the picket lines on Merriman Road between Wick and Ecorse. There was a lot of damage done from the rock throwing and glass breakage of some of the picketers, and it was luck, at best, that no one was badly hurt in the

confrontation that resulted from the pickets.

The best information I have at this time is that the builder has decided not to use union help in erecting the structure. The union says that it should be built by union employees. Who knows what the hotel owners think?

The real problem with all of this is that, if the contractor decides not to use union help, that is probably his prerogative. On the other hand, if the

union feels that it wants to strike because non-union help is being used, that is its prerogative, also.

Does anyone know who is going to pay our police department to be there to protect both sides? Guess who? *You, the taxpayer.*

Federal law says our police department has to protect all citizens in the event of a disturbance in our city. On Friday, April 1, the Romulus Police Department had approximately 15 officers working overtime to stop any disturbance at the construction site, since the unions decided to picket once again. If we pay our officers straight time of \$10 per hour, that means that we, the taxpayers, were paying \$150 per hour, minimum, for every hour our department was there.

During the strike that day, two picketers were arrested for disorderly conduct (throwing rocks). Not only does



It is estimated, pickets cost us \$150.00 per hour.

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THE EDITOR'S OPINION



We Need an Election!

by D. A. Atkins

Alan Lambert will be resigning his seat on City Council soon if he passes his training at the Police Academy and the Romulus Police Department hires him. If this happens (and it appears that it will), the next question will be, "Who is going to take his place on Council?"

The Council would like to place Junior Block in the vacant seat, but would that really be good for the City? There is no real reason why Council should not choose Block, except that this city needs some new blood on the Council and now would be a good time to start making the moves.

All during the election, everyone yelled about the fact that all of the

Council members were White, and that Blacks were not well represented. Now there are two Black Council members, but there is still a minority problem — Mary Ann Banks is the only female on the Council. I feel that, if there was another woman on City Council, it would give more balance to that body so that all groups would be represented more equally.

During the last election, there were two well-qualified women (in my opinion) running for City Council — Eva Webb and Judy Ellis. Either or both of these women would make excellent Council members, and I believe that, if the Council insists on choosing its new member, one of these two women should replace Lambert. My strongest feeling, however, is that the voters should decide in a general election on Lambert's replacement.

The City Charter does state that the Council has the right to fill the seat of an unexpired term with whomever it chooses. That, however, may be a portion of the Charter that should be done away with, since just about any council (or other government body) with that power is likely to fill a vacant seat with someone who is going to vote in agreement with its current members, instead of voting in accordance with the wishes of the people.

I do not take a stand on something of this nature very often, but I feel that, with the Charter being broken so often, and with so few people seeming to care about it, there should be an election held to replace Mr. Lambert. The election should be held as soon as possible so that there will be no long lapse of time before the seat is filled.

An election would give you, the voter, the new voice on Council instead of giving it to the current members, who might like to have it for whatever reason there may be.

I feel that an election is what we need, and what we should have. There will be someone in your neighborhood in the near future, asking you registered voters to sign a petition to present to City Council. It will request that the voice of the people decide who will be the new City Council member by allowing the issue to be voted on in a general election. □

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Letter to the Editor

Dear Mr. Editor:

The parents of the 1988 Romulus High School graduation class are planning a SENIOR ALL NIGHT PARTY. The main purpose of this party is to provide a safe and entertaining evening graduation celebration without alcohol or drugs.

This event is planned for graduation night, Sunday June 12, 1988 from 10:00 P.M. until 5:30 A.M. There will be games, music, activities and food for the graduates to enjoy. The party will be held in the High School gymnasium.

We have many activities planned but we need all our parents involved in this project. Other schools (Dearborn and Trenton) have had huge successes in giving this type of party.

Please include in the Community Announcements portion of *THE ROMULUS NEWS* our SENIOR ALL NIGHT PARTY. We are requesting parents' help and community donations for this effort.

For more information, you may contact the Co-Chairpersons, Mrs. Hardt or Ms. Robinson or the High School Activities Office.

Thank you,
Mrs. Hardt
(941-4238 after 5:00 P.M.)
Ms. Robinson
(595-4009 after 5:00 P.M.)
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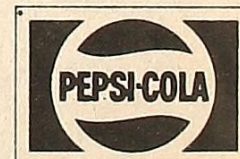
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Post Offices Add Retail Hours to Help During Rate Change

The cost of mailing a First-Class letter will rise to 25 cents beginning Sunday, April 3, but Detroit General Manager/Postmaster John M. Horne urges customers not to wait until the last minute to make their new stamp purchases.

To assist customers, post offices in the 480, 481, 482 and 483 Zip-Code areas will remain open two additional hours on Thursday, March 31, and Friday, April 8. Mobile postal vehicles will also be on location at Northland and Pontiac malls and Hart Plaza from 12 to 5 p.m. March 30 to April 8.

"We have ample supply of the new 'E' stamps available for sale at all post offices, stations and branches," Horne said. "The stamp has a postage value of 25 cents, the new First-Class rate, and will remain on sale until we receive new dominated postage that conforms with the new rate. Also, we have a good supply of one-, two-, and three-cent stamps that can be used with customers' existing stocks of 22-cent stamps to meet the new First-Class rate."

Horne emphasized that the 'E' stamps are for use within the United States only. "Their use is prohibited on international mail, which requires denominated postage," he said.

The increase for First-Class Mail represents a 13.6% rise, while the cost of second-class mail (magazines, newspapers) will rise 18.1%, bulk regular third-class will go up 24.9%, and parcel post will increase 14.8%.

Not all rates went up. According to Horne, the minimum cost for sending an Express Mail letter will be \$8.75 for up to eight ounces. Previously, it cost \$10.75 to send up to two pounds via Express Mail. From eight to 32 ounces (two pounds) will cost \$12. "This will be a big help to those who use Express Mail for light-weight letters," he said.

"In the three years since the last rate increase, the Postal Service, like most businesses, has experienced rising costs on many fronts — operations, transportation, supplies, labor and health and retirement benefits," he explained.

"For example, our delivery network has expanded rapidly since 1985 to reach a growing number of businesses and households created in the strong economy. Nationally, we're delivering to some seven million more addresses, which requires putting 12,000 more letter carriers on the streets each day," Horne said.

But Detroit's postmaster characterized the coming rate increase as a moderate one that needs to be put in perspective.

- To the average householder, the April rate hike will amount to less than 20 cents a week from the family budget, under \$10 a year in added expenditures.
- When adjusted for inflation over the years, the coming 25-cent First-Class rate is only seven-tenths of a cent more than the First-Class rate was in 1971.

"And, of course, even at 25 cents, the United States First-Class postage is still the lowest of any Western, industrialized nation," he said.

The 'E' stamps, which feature a colorful view of the Earth from space, appear in panes of 100; coils of 100, 500 and 3,000; and booklets of 20. They may be purchased at any post office, by mail, and, this year for the first time, by telephone.

During the phase-in period for the new rates, the 'E' stamp can be ordered and paid for with MasterCard or VISA by calling 1-800-STAMPS24. There is a \$12.50 minimum and a \$2 service charge on each order. □

Postage Hike a Joke

by D. A. Atkins

I received the following piece of mail on Friday, April 1.

Dear Postal Customer:

New postage rates are scheduled to take effect April 3.

The cost of a First-Class stamp will be 25 cents for the first ounce; 20 cents for each additional ounce. The Express Mail rate has been reduced to \$8.75 for the first half-pound. Priority Mail items weighing up to two pounds will remain unchanged at \$2.40. Other rates are in the accompanying chart.

I want to let you know that your local postmaster and I value your business and we are committed to providing reliable and convenient service to every sender and receiver of mail.

Sincerely,
Anthony M. Frank
Postmaster General

Notice that the Postmaster, after informing us about the rate hike, assures us that our business is valued, and that he and his fellows want to provide reliable and convenient service to us.

From the time that *The Romulus News* made subscriptions available, I have had several people tell me that they do not receive their papers. *The Romulus News* pays first-class postage on the papers, which means that subscribers should receive the paper not more than two days after it has been mailed.

I called the Romulus Post Office about one customer in particular, and was referred to the Taylor branch, which referred me back to the branch in Romulus, where I was told that there would

be a watch of some sort put on the lady's mail. I would be notified approximately one month later. Since that time, the lady has received only one additional issue, and another lady cancelled her subscription for the same reason.

I mailed the last issue of the paper to our subscribers on Friday, March 25 — two days after the paper came out. Even though they were mailed with 39 cents of first-class postage each, most of our customers started receiving the paper the following Wednesday.

Does that sound as though the Post Office wants to provide reliable and convenient service to us? To top it all off, they have the gall to ask us for a rate increase. As a matter of fact, I don't recall them asking us anything — only telling us that they were going to raise their rates.

I have had bills, which had to be paid, get lost in the mail somewhere between here, Taylor and Detroit. Guess what? No one can ever tell me where this mail is. On television the other night, there was a story about a mountain of mail that has not been delivered for one reason or other. The other reason would seem to be total neglect on the part of the Post Office.

I really have a hard time believing this Anthony M. Frank, or any other Postmaster, for that matter. If they stopped wasting so much money and hired people who have enough competence to do the job properly, then I would imagine we could still send a letter for 10 cents or less.

Someone should start a postal service that can, in fact, service the people properly. *Someone* must have the mentality to do that and do it right. □

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Awards Given

A recent meeting was held in the City Hall Council Chambers to award outstanding citizens, police officers, and firemen for various outstanding deeds performed by them. Listed here are the names of those individuals and what they did to receive their awards. These are people that the community can be very proud of.

Marilyn Masters

Ms. Masters heard noises from a nearby industrial concern during the early-morning hours of September 26, 1987. She observed two subjects rolling large truck tires near the fence line at that location, and also observed a suspicious vehicle nearby.

Ms. Masters then phoned the Police Department and supplied an accurate account of the incident in progress. Romulus officers responded and apprehended the vehicle as it attempted to flee the area. Truck tires with a value of over \$2,000 were recovered and two subjects were arrested, all due to Ms. Masters' observations and her prompt reaction.

For her assistance, Ms. Masters was awarded the Romulus Police Department's Civilian Award.

Karen Durham

After being awakened by a crashing sound, Ms. Durham observed, from her home, three subjects entering a neighbor's residence through a window. Ms. Durham notified the Police Department and stayed on the phone to give information on the incident's progress.

Officers responded, arriving as the subjects were carrying merchandise from the home, and the subjects attempted to flee and hide. All three of them were arrested and the stolen merchandise was recovered. It was discovered that the residents of the location were at home asleep during the breaking and entering.

For her valuable assistance, Ms. Durham was awarded the Romulus Police Department's Civilian Award.

Rusty Cordonne and Terry Schoenbach

Both Mr. Cordonne and Mr. Schoenbach have assisted the Romulus Police Department on numerous occasions over the past years by supplying tracking dogs and their expertise as K9 handlers whenever called upon by the Department. They have responded at

all hours of the day and night, during all types of weather, and have never accepted any monetary compensation for their efforts.

With great appreciation for their dedicated service, they were awarded the Romulus Police Department's Civilian Award.

Denise McNeely

During the days after the tragic airline crash of Flight 255, Miss McNeely was walking near the crash site and found a ring lying in the grass. Ms. McNeely recovered this ring and, without hesitation, brought the ring to the Romulus Police Department. This ring was identified as belonging to one of the crash victims, and had an estimated value of over \$7,000.

For her outstanding sense of civic duty and high moral character, Ms. McNeely was given the Romulus Police Department's Civilian Appreciation Award.

Police Officer Duane Smith and Police Officer Michael Ondejko

After being alerted to a suspicious situation at a Romulus hotel on February 25, 1987, Officer Smith responded and began an investigation. After determining that possible narcotic dealers were involved, Officer Ondejko, who was working in the Downriver Area Narcotics Organization, was summoned to assist him. Three persons were arrested for the possession and distribution of cocaine.

The continuing investigation led to Los Angeles, New York, and worldwide connections. Evidence obtained resulted in the seizure of over \$50,000 in assets and the sentencing of a major drug dealer to life imprisonment.

For their parts in the investigation, Officer Smith received a Department Commendation, and Officer Ondejko was awarded a Departmental Citation.

Sergeant Emmett Barnes

On June 18, 1987, Sergeant Barnes and his partner responded to a request for medical assistance. Upon arrival, the officers discovered a woman in the process of giving birth to twins. One had been delivered and the second one was on the way when the officers arrived on the scene.

As his partner summoned the ambulance and directed it to the location, Sergeant Barnes discovered that neither baby was breathing. He began CPR and established breathing in the

first infant, and continued CPR on the second until relieved by ambulance personnel.

Due to Sergeant Barnes' efforts, both infants survived and are doing well.

Sergeant Barnes was given the Romulus Police Department's Life Safety Award.

Police Officer Michael Anderson

On October 15, 1987, Officer Anderson responded to a call for medical assistance. An elderly female was unconscious and not breathing. Officer Anderson administered CPR for approximately 10 minutes and was successful in restoring her breathing. Unfortunately, the woman expired a short time after being conveyed by paramedics to the hospital.

Officer Anderson, through his actions, displayed a high regard for human life and exhibited a high degree of professionalism under very trying circumstances. Officer Anderson was awarded a Department Commendation.

Dispatcher George Sparr and Police Officers Michael Coffey, Terri Koski, Donald Leonard and Cora Wilkinson

Officers were dispatched to a suspicious vehicle near a Romulus food store as dispatcher Sparr maintained contact with the caller. Sparr informed officers that two persons were seen wearing masks and holding the security guard at gunpoint. As officers approached, they observed two persons who had been handcuffed to an outside trailer during the robbery by the gunmen.

At the officers' approach, the gun-

men fled and were pursued on foot by officers Coffey and Leonard. After a prolonged foot-chase, the officers were able to tackle one armed subject, disarm him, and place him under arrest. A search of the area by officers and a K9 unit failed to yield the second subject.

For their actions during this incident, officers Leonard and Coffey were awarded a Department Citation, and officers Wilkinson and Koski and Dispatcher Sparr were awarded a Department Commendation.

Dispatcher Terry Sands

Dispatcher Sands received a report of an armed, intoxicated man inside a residence who had become distraught and fired shots at his family, and then barricaded himself in his home as his family fled. Dispatcher Sands made contact with the subject by telephone and kept him engaged in conversation for over a half hour while officers waited outside.

Dispatcher Sands was finally able to convince the subject to put down his weapon and surrender to the awaiting officers.

The professional conduct of Dispatcher Sands relieved a serious situation without injury to any persons involved, and he was awarded a Department Commendation.

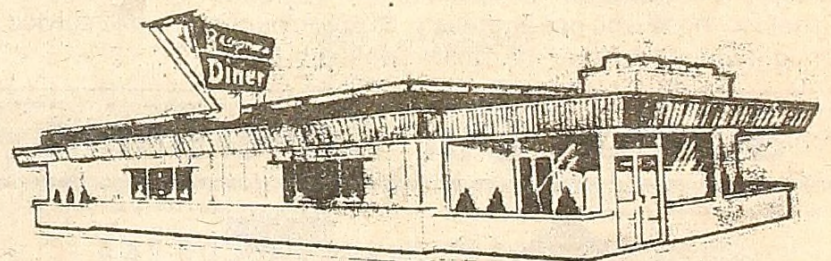
Lieutenant David Early and Sergeant Emmett Barnes

Sergeant Barnes responded to a family-trouble run, where he was advised of a suicidal subject who was holding a loaded weapon to his own

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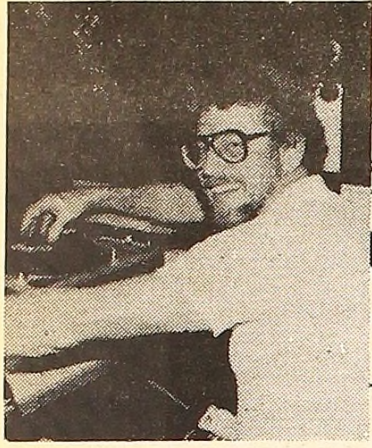


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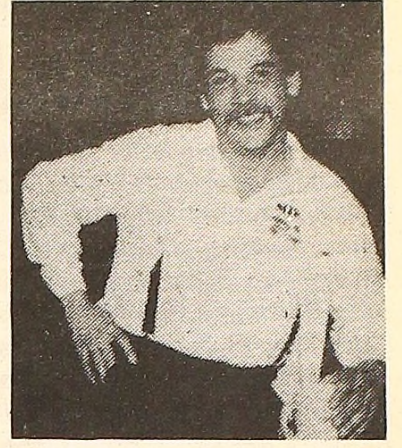
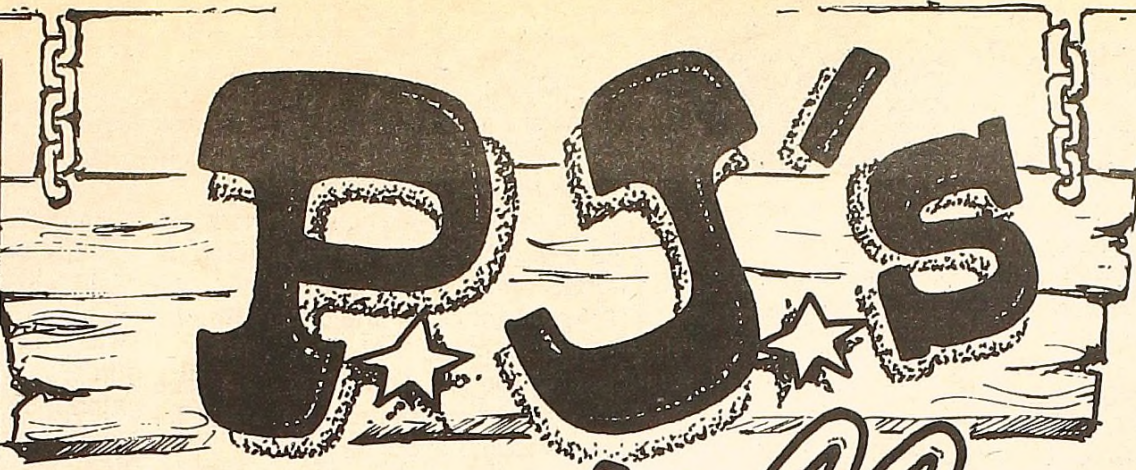
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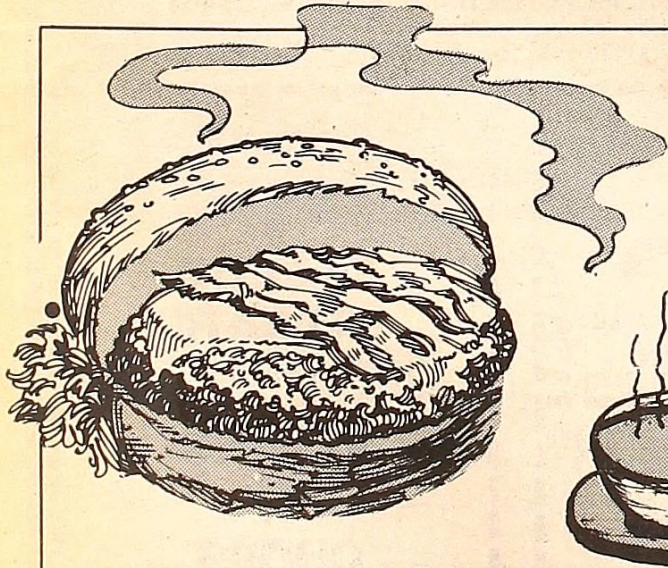
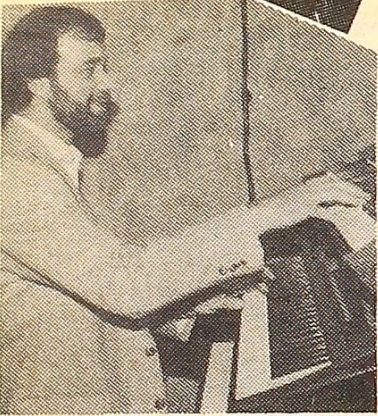
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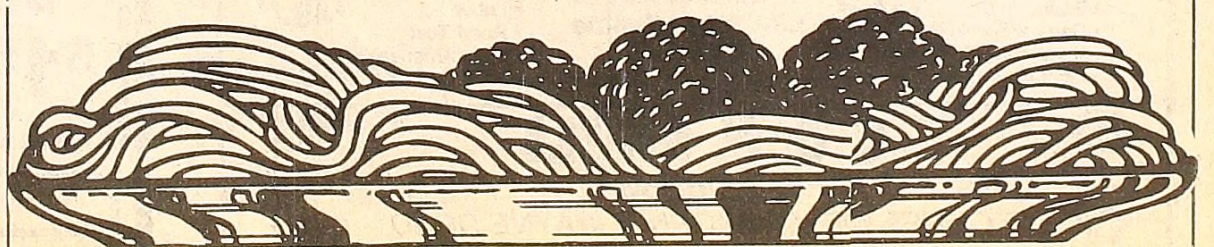


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A MESSAGE FROM THE MAYOR

The following letter concerning the 1988-89 budget for the City of Romulus was presented to the City Council by Mayor Beverly McAnally. Its content would seem to indicate that the City is in better shape than it has been in years. Due to the enormity of the budget, The Romulus News will not attempt to publish it; however, City Hall could probably furnish you with a copy in its entirety.

TO: The Honorable Romulus City Council
FROM: Mayor Beverly McAnally
DATE: April 1, 1988
SUBJECT: Annual City Budget

I am pleased to present the budget for the 1988-89 fiscal year. It is a balanced budget that continues emphasis on the priorities of this Council and Administration.

The largest single increase (14.2%) has been in salary and wages, union and non-union, reflecting the stated goals of the Wage and Salary study and this administration to bring our employees into comparables with the job market.

We have projected an equalized valuation increase of a conservative \$30

million, which is an 8% increase over last year, partly to do with the new construction and partly as a result of the maturity of a PA 198 certificate.

As a result of the increased development, we are able to reduce millage for debt service by one half mill (.5), which brings our total levy to 10.9 mills, one of the lowest in the state for a comparably sized community offering a similar range of services.

We are pleased to be able to continue to lower millage, reflecting that in 1975, 1976 and 1977, when we were still receiving thousands of dollars in revenue sharing, we also levied 13 mills for operation of the city, we are justifiably proud of our efforts to reduce taxes to our citizens and still offer a wide range of services.

This budget provides for some growth in our Police Department, Fire Department and Building Department while still maintaining a comfortable fund balance.

Sincerely,
Mayor Beverly McAnally
City of Romulus □

Letter to the Mayor

Dear Mayor,

After carefully looking at the rank structure of the Fire Department I would like to make some changes.

To start with, we now have four stations with positions in each station for thirteen men, plus one (1) Chief, one (1) Assistant Chief and one (1) Fire Inspector, totaling fifty-five men.

My proposal would be to increase the department by two men. This increase would allow us to have:

- (1) Chief
- (1) Deputy Chief
- (1) Fire Marshal (at Battalion Chief Rank)
- (2) Battalion Chiefs

Replace the rank vacant at the stations. Our total would then be fifty-seven men.

I would like to promote Bob Pecsenye from Assistant Chief to Deputy Chief. Chuck Bradley from Fire Inspec-

tor to Fire Marshal (Battalion Chief Rank). Bill Daughenbaugh to Battalion Chief. He would cover the north end of the city plus help set up training sessions. Jerry Ladach to Battalion Chief. He would cover the south end of the city plus help in the training sessions.

The two new Battalion Chiefs would be able to help direct at the fire scene and emergency operations on a 24 hour basis.

Bill Daughenbaugh would be available after 3:30 P.M. Jerry Ladach would be Available during the day to assist me if we were to have a working fire or emergency.

All men have been in their present rank for 5 years and this would be the next step in promotions.

Sincerely yours,
William Greenslait
Fire Chief □

Congratulations

by D. A. Atkins

There are times when things don't happen as quickly as we would like them to, especially where family members are concerned. Some people seem to whiz through various aspects of life, while others take a little longer to accomplish things because they have so many obstacles to overcome. The latter is the case with my stepdaughter, Jalaina Stephens.

Jalaina recently completed training in Cosmetology, and her family is very proud because it sure wasn't easy for her. She survived many adversities, including working six (and sometimes

seven) days a week, and has come out of it a winner — when the postman rang twice on Saturday, April 2, 1988, he brought a little piece of paper that said, "Congratulations, you have passed your State Board Examination for Cosmetology, and you may use this temporary license to seek employment. Your certificate will follow in a few days."

Congratulations, Jalaina, from your mother, myself, and the rest of the family on your perseverance toward completing your studies and obtaining your license. You are a daughter to be proud of. □

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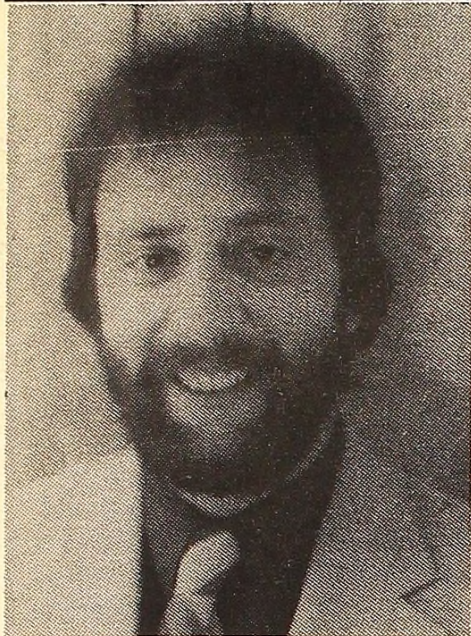
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It's The Law



by Murray A. Duncan, Jr., Attorney

Q. What is the 'Miranda Rule' in criminal actions?

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The Michigan Supreme Court has set forth the following guidelines for determining whether or not *Miranda* warnings are due:

- The intention of the questioning officer to hold or arrest the person.
- The degree to which the investigation has focused upon the person.
- The belief of the person that they are significantly deprived of their freedom.
- Whether the belief of the person that they are deprived of their freedom is a reasonable belief.

If you have a legal question that you would like answered, you may send your question to my office and I will attempt to answer your question in this paper's next issue. Questions should be mailed to: Murray A. Duncan, Jr., 10000 South Wayne Road, Romulus, Michigan 48174. □

A Sick Man's Dilemma

by D. A. Atkins

"You know, 50 years ago my children could play in the drainage ditch in front of my house — the water was clean. Our sewer was out back in a little house, and we carried water for what we needed. A few years ago, the sewer pipes were laid for us and City water was piped into our homes. We had running water in the house for drinking and for the toilets to flush, and we all thought that was great. I could go outside with my children and smell good, clean, fresh air while we played together, and the airport was there even then — only not so big.

"Now, with all these great improvements, my grandchildren can't play in that ditch that is still there; it is full of sewage, and dangerous. I can't play in the yard with them because of the smell of tar from the factory across the street. I can't keep a furnace over a couple of years because the sewers back up into my basement and it ruins it so I have to replace it. I just received a water bill for over \$200 because I had to use the water to clean out my basement that was flooded from the sewer. My front yard has debris in it because of the

storm sewers overflowing onto my yard. I want to retire; I have a bad heart problem. I can't retire because of these great new improvements we have because I have to buy a new furnace every few years, pay water bills over \$200 because I had to clean out my basement with clean water, and now my taxes are rais-

ed because of this new property evaluation thing."

These may not be the exact words used by Mr. Wilson, owner of Wilson's Dairy Bar, but they are close enough to let you know what he was saying at the City Council meeting Monday, March

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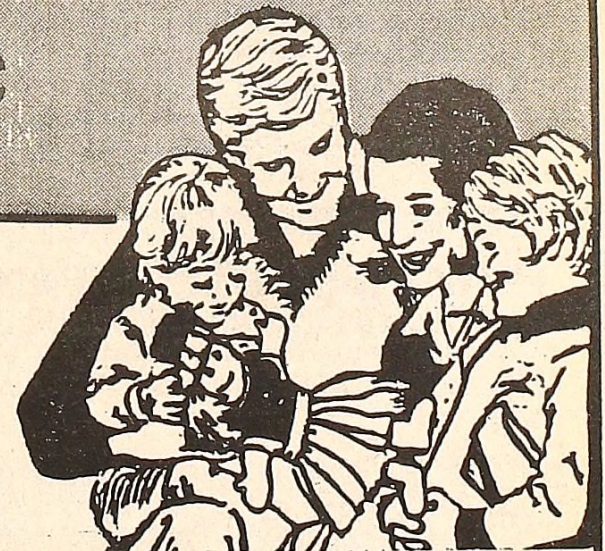
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It's Something Worth Thinking About

by Marvin Hawbaker, Pastor, Calvary Baptist Church of Romulus

What is life's most important question? The Bible is quite clear and emphatic that the most crucial issue to a person is his eternal destiny. Jesus was addressing that issue when he asked, "... what is a man profited, if he shall gain the whole world, and lose his own soul? or what shall a man give in exchange for his soul?" (Matthew 16:26) In other words, the most precious possession that God has granted each of us is our soul. It is the only possession we have that will exist forever. No amount of money or material possessions — even the whole world — would be a fair trade.

In light of the value of the human soul, it seems to me that life's most important question is found in Acts 16:30 where the Philippian jailor asked "... what must I do to be saved?" It could be phrased differently. But the idea is, how can people know they are right with God? How can we know that we have eternal life?

The answer given by the Apostle Paul in Acts 16:31 is extremely important for us to understand. "... Believe on the Lord Jesus Christ, and thou shalt be saved..." If you will admit that you have offended God by your sin, will admit your need of being saved and will admit you have no ability to save yourself, you are in the position in which this jailor was. He saw his need. He couldn't save himself but Christ could do it for him.

What is your response to life's most important question? Are you right with God? It's something worth thinking about. □

Obituaries

Marie I. Ray

Marie I. Ray, of 6000 Heyer, Romulus, died March 30, 1988, at Garden City Osteopathic Hospital. She was 39 years old.

Marie was the beloved wife of Willie Ray, Jr., and the dear mother of Willie Ray III, Ileta Ilene Ray, and Glenda Lynn Ray, all of Romulus. She is also survived by her mother, Mrs. Beverly Sharrow.

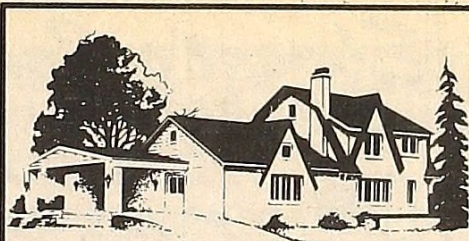
Funeral services were held Saturday, April 2, at Crane Funeral Home, with the Rev. J.D. Landis of Community United Methodist Church officiating. Interment was at Romulus Cemetery. Arrangements were made by the Crane Funeral Home, Inc., 36885 Goddard Road, Romulus. □

Emma May Sanders

Emma May Sanders, a 77-year-old Romulus resident, died March 25, 1988.

Emma was the dear mother of Mrs. Archie (Wilma J.) Hanlon of Romulus, Leonard R. Sanders of Willis, and Philip J. Sanders of Belleville. She is also survived by seven grandchildren and two great grandchildren.

Funeral services were held Monday, March 28, at the DenHerder Funeral Home in Paulding, Ohio, with the Rev. Larry Hopkins officiating. Interment was at the Live Oak Cemetery, Paulding, Ohio. Arrangements were made by the Crane Funeral Home, Romulus. □



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Contraception

This reprint from Biomedical Information Corporation's Compendium of Patient Information was submitted by J. H. Barden, D.O.

Common Characteristics

Contraception — any method used by one or both sexual partners to prevent pregnancy — has been practiced in many forms since ancient times. Not until comparatively recently, however, have techniques been devised that are statistically reliable, safe, and sufficiently varied to accommodate particular circumstances.

No single method of contraception is ideal from every point of view. Some methods are unquestionably more reliable, and others are more suitable to one's particular sexual habits at a particular time of life. Different methods may also be chosen because they are more compatible with personal convictions or because they are easier to use.

'Natural' Methods

Rhythm. This method entails abstinence from sexual intercourse during the ovulation phase of the menstrual cycle (when eggs are released from the ovaries). Since very few women ovulate with exact regularity, the rhythm method is likely to have built-in inaccuracies. There are several ways of determining when ovulation is taking place, including counting the number of days from the beginning of the last period and watching for the slight rise in temperature that usually accompanies ovulation. A woman can also note a change in her vaginal secretion from a thick, white, sparse discharge to a thin, clear, profuse one, another sign of ovulation. However, none of these practices are foolproof.

Withdrawal. This is the oldest method of contraception, and one that is still widely practiced in many parts of the world. It involves the withdrawal technique (coitus interruptus), in which the penis is withdrawn just before orgasm and the semen is deposited outside the vagina. This method is generally considered both unreliable and unsatis-

factory, and tends to cause tensions during the sex act.

The Pill

The pill is the most popular and most effective reversible contraceptive available. Oral contraceptives are available in two types. The first, the combination pill, contains synthetic estrogen and progestogen hormones that inhibit ovulation and alter the mucous secretions of the vagina. The second, the progestogen-only pill, both alters the mucous secretions from the cervix so that sperm cannot penetrate the barrier and affects the lining of the uterus so that the fertilized egg cannot become implanted. The combination pill is considered more reliable than the progestogen-only pill, although both enjoy a very high success rate. Most women, especially those under the age of 30 or 35, can safely use the pill; however, the combination pill is usually not recommended for women over 35 who smoke because they have a greater risk of heart disease and blood clots. There is recent evidence that the pill offers some protection against sexually transmitted diseases because it may prevent the passage of bacteria through the thickened cervical mucus. The pill also seems to lower the incidence of some breast diseases.

Intrauterine Devices

An intrauterine device (IUD), as its name implies, is a contraceptive device that is inserted into the uterus by a doctor. Once in place, no further contraceptive precaution is necessary. If properly fitted, it may be left in place for at least a year with no untoward results. It is considered slightly less effective than the pill.

IUDs come in several different types, but all are supplied with a string that extends outward from the cervix into the vagina so that the wearer can make sure that the device is in place. Correct fitting by a specialist is a critical aspect of the effectiveness of this device.

While IUDs are generally safe for most women, there are certain conditions in which they should not be used.

These include pregnancy, fibroid tumors, anemia, abnormal Pap smears, continuous treatment with cortisone-type drugs, previous ectopic (outside the uterus) pregnancy and pelvic inflammatory disease. Recent studies also indicate that IUD users are more likely to develop severe pelvic inflammatory disease than those who use other methods of contraception. Also, because an inflammatory reaction may occur in the fallopian tubes, causing obstruction, the IUD may not be a good idea in women who wish to have or continue to have children.

Barrier Methods

The use of barrier methods of contraception (the condom, diaphragm and spermicidal agents) has grown in recent years for a number of reasons. For example, barrier methods probably lower the rate of spread of genital herpes and other sexually transmitted diseases that are presently reaching epidemic proportions. Also, for women whose sex lives are intermittent rather than regular, barrier methods offer an alternative to the day-in, day-out use of the pill or the wearing of an IUD.

Condom. The condom, or 'rubber,' is the second most popular form of contraception in the United States and remains the most widely used device throughout the world. In addition to providing protection against pregnancy and disease, condoms are easily available and are now being manufactured in materials thin enough to eliminate sensual interference. In addition, use of a spermicidal (sperm-killing) agent results in higher effectiveness and easier insertion.

Diaphragm. The diaphragm is a soft, rubber cap surrounded by a flexible ring that is inserted into the vagina to cover the entrance to the cervix. Before intercourse, it should be coated with spermicidal jelly to provide both a chemical and mechanical barrier. A diaphragm must be checked for proper fit about once a year, especially after pregnancy, abortion or a significant change in weight. It should also be

checked periodically for holes or other damage. Other advantages of the diaphragm include possible protection against cervical infections and sexually transmitted disease.

Recently, a variation of the diaphragm, a disposable sponge contraceptive, has been approved for use in the United States. This contraceptive takes the form of a small sponge that contains spermicidal chemicals. It is inserted into the vagina before intercourse and, like a diaphragm, should be left in place for at least five or six hours after intercourse.

Spermicidal agents. These chemicals — in the form of creams, jellies, suppositories and foams — are inserted into the vagina before intercourse; they kill sperm cells and create a barrier against their passage. In combination with a condom or a diaphragm, spermicidal agents provide a fairly high rate of effectiveness if used correctly and consistently. However, some users of the various barrier contraceptives complain of the inconvenience and disruption caused by having to insert or apply them each time they have intercourse as directed.

Sterilization

Both male and female sterilization have increased in popularity in recent years, and it is now the leading form of contraception among couples who have been married for more than 10 years. The sterilization procedures involve surgery and are considered permanent forms of contraception, although reversal has been achieved in a few instances. Vasectomy — the male sterilization procedure — involves making a small incision that severs the tubes through which the sperm travel. For women, sterilization is accomplished by either severing or blocking the fallopian tubes to prevent the egg from reaching the uterus, or by removing either the ovaries or uterus (hysterectomy). However, removal of these reproductive organs is not recommended simply in order to achieve sterilization. □

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by Dan Elwart, D.C.

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Using these types of views will give the Doctor of Chiropractic a more ac-

curate 'before and after' look at how you are progressing in your care.

Another type of x-ray Chiropractors often use is called a 'flexion-extension' study. In this view, we have the patient bend his neck or back and then we take the picture while it is bent. For instance, if the person has possible neck problems, and we find in the examination that it is more difficult for him to bend his head to the side, then we will take lateral (sideways) flexion-extension views. The patient would face forward and we would have them bend his head toward one shoulder and then hold it there. Then we would take another picture with his head bent the opposite way. These pictures would help us to see if there is any ligament damage or a 'fixing' or locking up of the vertebra.

Often, after an injury, the ligaments can be stretched and, after care, they return to normal. These 'flexion-extension' views would show us if they did, in fact, return to normal.

The x-ray is a tool and, as a tool, is only useful if it is used properly and for the right reason. □

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28. The bad thing about what he said is that it is absolutely true.

The Mayor pledged to find out why he was having such a problem to begin with. There is work underway at present to clear up a lot of the problems with sewers and storm drains, but that does not halt Mr. Wilson's problem at hand. If things were handled properly, Mr. Wilson's water bill would be dismissed or excused, whatever wording you would like to use. It was not his fault that the sewer or storm drains overflowed; it was not his fault he had to use so much water to clean up the mess created by something the City and/or County is responsible for. It is not his fault he has had to replace his furnace after only five years of use,

and, rightfully, the City or County or both should relieve him of that expense.

As Mr. Wilson said, we citizens pay our taxes. Whether it is City drains and sewers or County drains and sewers, the responsible organization should bear the burden of repairing or replacing property damaged because of them for anyone, not just Mr. Wilson.

It is a sad state of affairs to begin with when a senior citizen has to pay school taxes; they have raised their children and paid for them. Let the new parents who have children in school pay for the education. It is a sad state of affairs when senior citizens have paid property taxes all of their lives, yet eventually lose their property because the taxes are so high that they can no longer afford to pay them.

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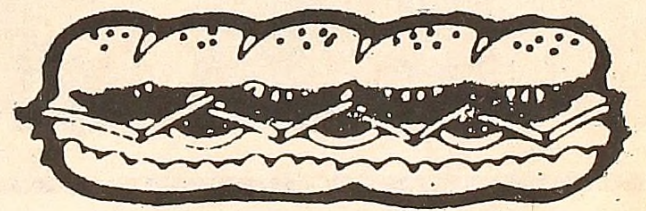
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Kathleen Krell Receives Award

by Mary Clark

Romulus resident Mrs. Kathleen Krell — wife, mother, and grandmother — has received the highest award the State of Michigan bestows upon civilians. The Legion of Merit Award was presented to Mrs. Krell by Colonel Jack Reimer, Deputy Brigade Commander of the 177th Military Police Brigade at the Detroit Artillery Armory.

She has given 10 years of devotion and what she considers her 'duty' to the National Guard. She says she loves it.

Mrs. Krell is the only lady to ever receive this award in this area. Her husband spent 11 years in the Army and 10 years with the Michigan National Guard. He says she deserves this medal for the support she has given him and the National Guard.

The letter that Mrs. Krell received reads: "This award is made to Mrs. Kathleen Krell for her unwavering loyalty and dedication to the men and women of the Headquarters and Headquarters Company, 177th Military Police Brigade. Mrs. Krell has assisted the Brigade in preparing for many of the special events we have had during the past three years. She has always demonstrated a very special and unique ability to give of herself and to enhance the morale of all the personnel she comes in contact with. By her actions, Mrs. Kathleen Krell has proven that she is a firm supporter of the ideals and traditions of the military and the Michigan Army National Guard." □



Easter Egg Hunt

by D. A. Atkins

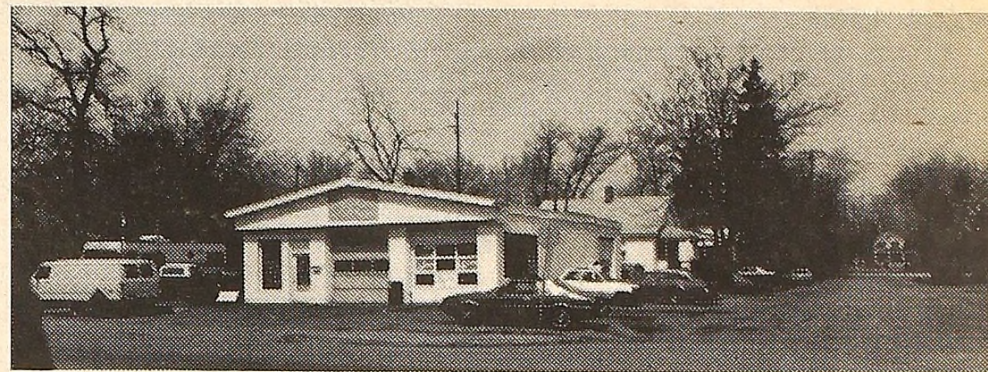
On Thursday, March 31, Romulus Junior High School hosted an Easter Egg Hunt for over 300 small children. Youngsters from Cory, Barth, Hayti, Halecreek, and Merriman schools enjoyed cookies, candy, and punch while the Easter Bunny walked about in their midst, patting them on the head and shaking hands.

It was a well-organized effort, and a lot of it was handled by the Junior High students under the guidance of teachers and counselors. There were hundreds of plastic Easter eggs hidden around the Junior High grounds for the children to find and enjoy what was inside of them. Even the Easter Bunny helped them find the eggs.

Things like this are what make going to school worth it all. The fun-while-you-learn aspect is great — especially the fun! □



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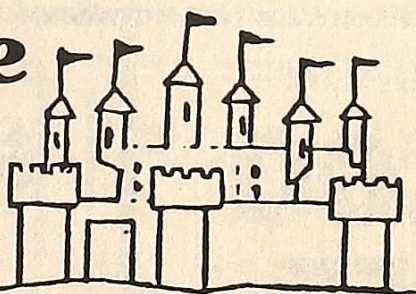
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Michigan Education Trust

State Representative James A. Kosteva (D-Canton) suggests that now is the time to insure that interested parents are on the mailing list for the Michigan Education Trust (MET) by calling his Lansing office at (517) 373-2525 or the MET hotline, (517) 373-8435.

"I'm encouraging all parents who are not on the mailing list to call immediately, as applications will be sent out soon," Rep. Kosteva said. "MET will bring economic confidence to Michigan families facing ever-rising college tuition costs."

A recent Internal Revenue Service ruling cleared the way for investments in the legislatively created guaranteed tuition program for future students of Michigan colleges and universities. Representative Kosteva sponsored the original enabling legislation for this unique program in 1986. The IRS has ruled that interest earned on the MET investment is exempt from Federal taxes.

"All the money collected through MET will be pooled and invested by the State," Rep. Kosteva said. "When the designated student goes to college, MET will provide tuition for four academic years at a public Michigan undergraduate institution."

The MET payments could be used for partial tuition at a private Michigan college or university or at an out-of-state school, equal to the average tuition at Michigan public institutions. "And if the student does not attend any college or university," Rep. Kosteva said, "MET will return the original investment and at least part of the interest earned."

"MET is open to parents, grandparents, friends or any other adult interested in a child's educational future," he said. "It will help Michigan students choose a college or university that is really the best for them, not just what they can afford." □

Junior High Symphonic Band #1 at District Festival

The Romulus Junior High School Symphonic Band received a first-division rating at the District Junior High School Band Festival held Saturday, March 19. In the toughest adjudicated festival that any Romulus school has participated in, the Symphonic Band was the only band to receive a "I" out of 12 bands performing. Band Director Richard Kruse noted that two bands received final fourth-division ratings, and "II"s, "III"s, and "IV"s were liberally distributed across the score board.

This marked the ninth consecutive year that the Junior High Symphonic Band has received a "I" at the District-Festival level.

"The students knew they were in a very difficult festival, and provided us a superb effort in order to get their "I" rating," Kruse said. He wishes to congratulate his 72-member group for its outstanding performance. The Symphonic Band competed in the Class "A" Junior High School level, and received a "I" from all four judges.

The Junior High Concert Band competed in the Class "C" Junior High

School level, and received a final "II" rating, including a "II" from all four judges. The Concert Band had four "A"s and five "B"s among its letter grades (out of 20). If three of the "B"s grades could have been raised to "A", the Concert Band could have received a "I" at the festival.

The festival was held at Romulus Senior High School, and was the tenth festival hosted in Romulus. Visiting groups are always impressed by our school facilities and make many favorable comments each year. Between 700 and 1,000 students visit our school during one of these festivals.

Three bands of four in the Romulus Community Schools system received a "I" at the District-Festival level this year, which is more than any other school in Wayne County. We can be very proud of the achievements of the 230 Romulus students who performed in the three first-division groups: Junior High Symphonic Band, Senior High Concert Band, and Senior High Symphonic Band. □

Romulus Junior High School First Semester Honor Roll — 7th Grade

Kathleen Adams	Jon Davis	Tracy Holtschlag*	James Moore
Michelle Allen*	Lakesha Davis	Richard Hopper	Sara Palmer
Tonya Allen	Maria Deleon	Jill Howard	Julia Parrish
Melissa Atherton	Jonathan Devereaux	Lisa Huff	Pranav Patel
Jessica Austria	Kimberly Donaldson	Noelle Inch	Leneise Porter
Sandy Bardroff	Dawn Drysdale	Tanya Jackson	Leroy Prince
Jeanette Barnhart	Robert Engle	Willie Jackson	Melissa Reid
Becky Bellottie	Joseph Felice	Dena Jenkins	Perry Sample
Erica Bennett	Erin Fife	Cher Jessick	Sandra Schutte
Kimberly Bramlett	Alicia Fitzhugh	Ronele Johnson	Richard Schwartz
Carey Brazynetz	Sara Fralick	Debra Kassa	Petrina Sewell
Michelle Brewer	Patricia Gnas	John Kazmar	Shawn Smith
Andrea Brown	Robert Graham	Alice Kearns	Tomekia Sommerville
Shannon Bryant	Brigette Grube	Emily Kesner	Laura Tebeau
Felton Bush	Elizabeth Greca	Susan Kreft	William Thomas
Danielle Cadaret	Melissa Griffith*	Patricia Kuehnel	Robb Thompson
Sherie Carlson	Robyn Grishaber	Tanya Logan	Talia Tripp
Susan Carroll	Michael Grube	Alana Mack	Heather Varesi
Tonya Carter	Michele Habicht	Laura Madison	Darica Walker
Ebony Clark	Phillip Harden	Gregory Majcher	Stephanie Webb
Janice Clark	Doreen Hein	Barbara Markowski	Heather Weinschenk
Thomas Clark	Jessica Henry	Renea Martell	Deborah Whalen
Rachel Cook	Anjanette Hicks	Sheila Mesavage	Georgette Wiginton
Patricia Cox	Terrance Hicks	Nickell Milam	Matthew Wojtylko
Mary Crova	Yolanda Holliday	Daniel Miller	Shannon Wood
Jacob Cuevas	Phette Hollins	Brian Molenda*	Diane Zemke
Ryan Darnell			

Romulus Junior High School First Semester Honor Roll — 8th Grade

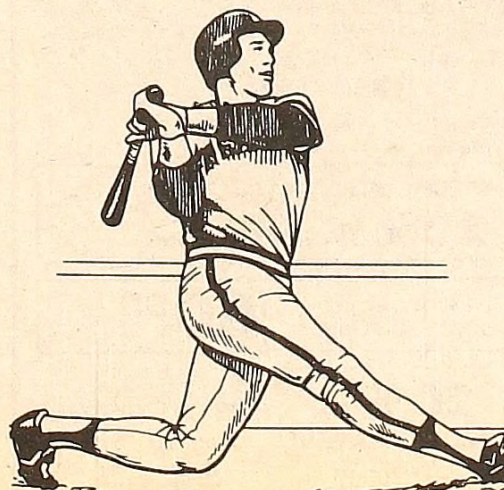
Kimberly Adamski	Troy Gilstorf	Lynette Lewis	Michelle Ragland
Leah Aggison	Melissa Golembiewski	Jeffrey Luttermoser	Rory Rangel
Lakeesha Allen	Tammie Gooch	Jenny McClure*	Everette Robbins
Brandy Arnold	Amy Grishaber	Suzanne McFall	Todd Robinson
Sue Arquette	Latina Halimon	Amy McFarland	Sheri Rocha*
Tonya Atherton	Aaron Hammers	David McGinnis	Katrina Roscoe
Genesis Barnes*	Mark Harden	Bonita McMullen	Rebecca Schultz
Sarina Bartel	Albert Harris	Brian McNett	Jana Seniff
Melissa Boyer*	Dackema Hawkins	Kenyetta Melton	Darcy Sheposh
Sonja Braxton	Steven Hayes	Jennifer Mientkiewicz*	Charmaine Smith
Sonya Brown	Erika Hicks	Richard Miller	Marion Smith
Shawn Bryant	Baraka Higgins	Brian Mills	Laurie Sperry
Heidi Bussard*	Denise Hogue	Kimberly Molloy	Mack Stillwagon
Rachel Byard	Angela Hollis	Angalec Moore	Christopher Thompson
Rufus Cofield	Yolanda Hullum	William Morris	Marci Tomchick*
Jennifer Cooley	Andrea Johnson	Laura Mortzfield	John Valentine
Alison Cope*	Melanie Johnson	Annalisa Mosca*	Darrell Wanamaker
Eric Coulson	Tracey Johnson	Michelle Mullins*	Salena Washington
Brian Darocha	Kyobe Jones	Michelle Napiorkowski*	Gerald Wilkerson
Linda Ditsch	Jessica Kent	Steven Odell	Angelic Williams
Timothy Dufore	Edwin Kerr	Judith Osak	Lisa Williams
April Duprey	Amanda Kesner*	Liza Parker*	Steven Yates*
Tracy Foust	Joyce Kniceley	Melanie Patterson	Alanna Young
Dale Gehringer	Lisa Kochanski	Tayana Powell	Amy Young
Lesley Gilliland	Tina Koivisto	Raymell Proctor	Stacie Zilka

*4.0 Grade Point Average

Romulus High School — 1988 Varsity Baseball Schedule

Head Coach: Dennis Stoh

DAY	DATE	OPPONENT	PLACE	TIME	BUS
TU	April 12	Kennedy (DH)	Away	3:00	2:00
TH	April 14	Truman (DH)	Home	3:00	
M	April 18	Ypsilanti-Lincoln	Home	4:00	
TU	April 19	Ypsilanti	Home	4:00	
TH	April 21	Garden City	Away	3:30	2:15
SA	April 23	Belleville	Away	11:00	9:00
TU	April 26	Ann Arbor Huron	Away	4:00	2:30
TH	April 28	Ann Arbor Pioneer	Home	4:00	
M	May 2	Erie Mason (DH)	Away	4:00	1:30
TU	May 3	Adrian	Away	4:00	1:30
TH	May 5	Ypsilanti (DH)	Away	3:30	2:00
SA	May 7	Annapolis Tournament (AM times)	Away	9:00	7:30
TU	May 10	New Boston	Home	4:00	
W	May 11	Fordson	Away	4:15	2:45
F	May 13	Ann Arbor Huron (DH)	Home	3:30	
TU	May 17	Ann Arbor Pioneer (DH)	Away	3:30	2:00
TH	May 19	Milan	Home	4:00	
TU	May 24	Adrian (DH)	Home	3:30	
SA	May 27	Pre-District			
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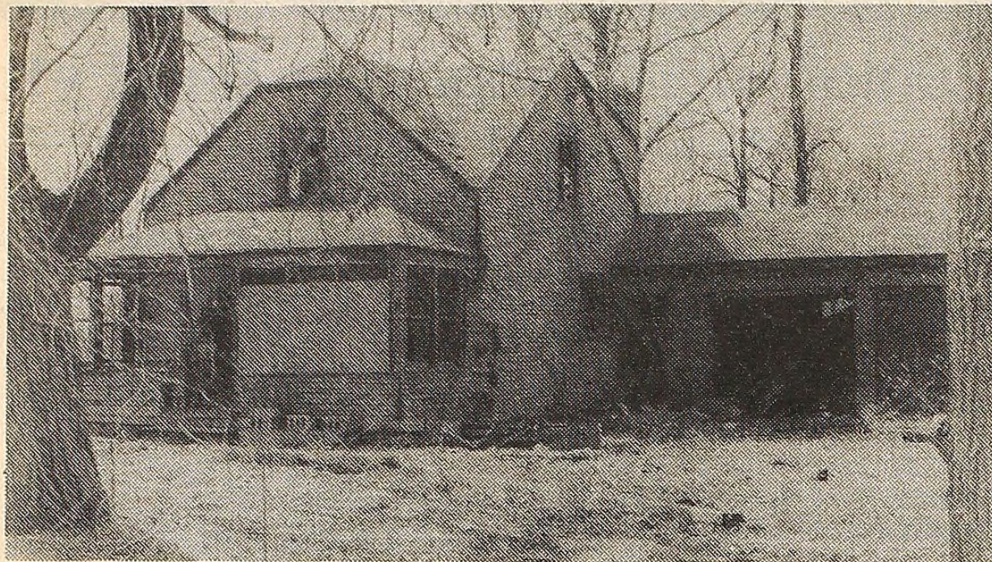
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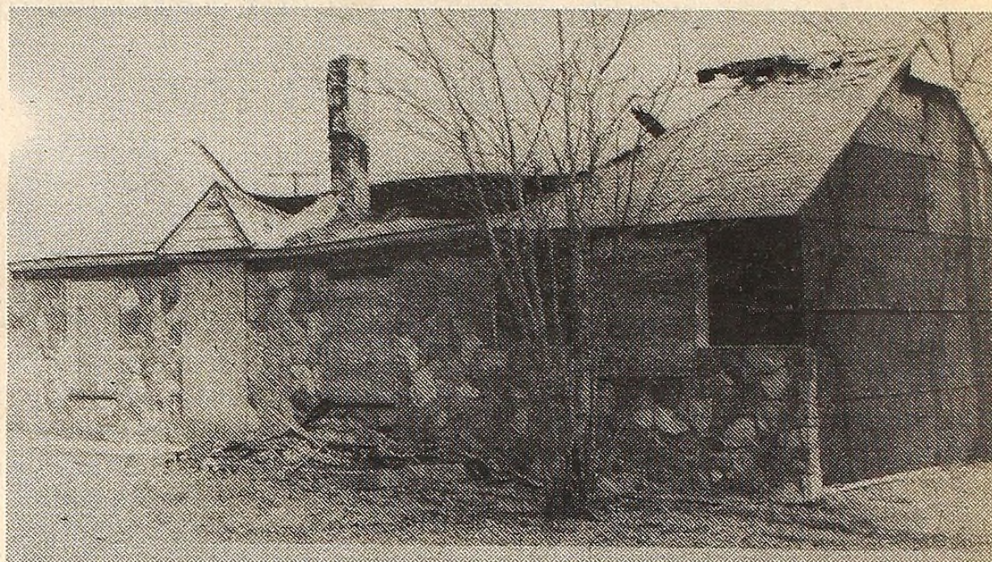
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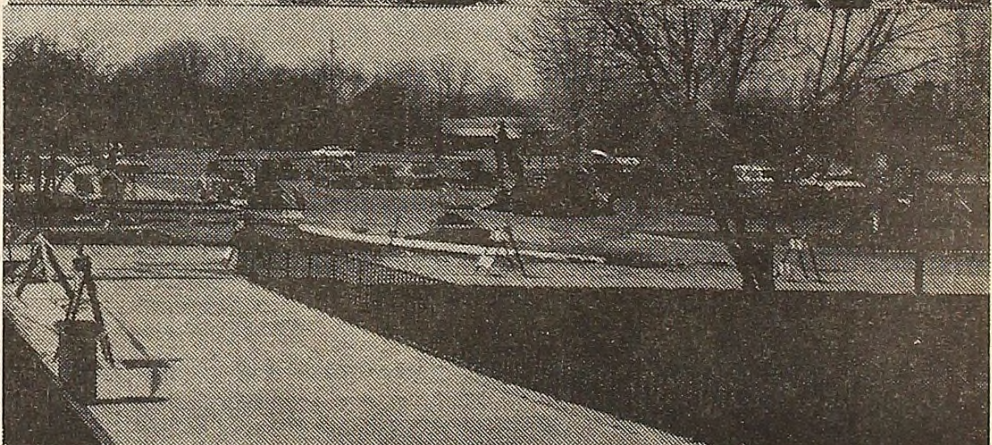
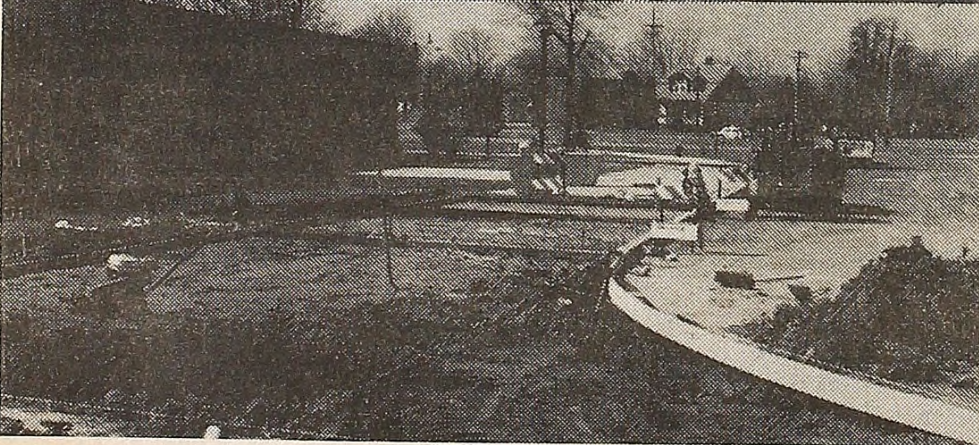


House in Ecorse Sub scheduled to be demolished.



Burned out home on Merriman soon to be torn down.

City Parking Lot Getting New Face Lift



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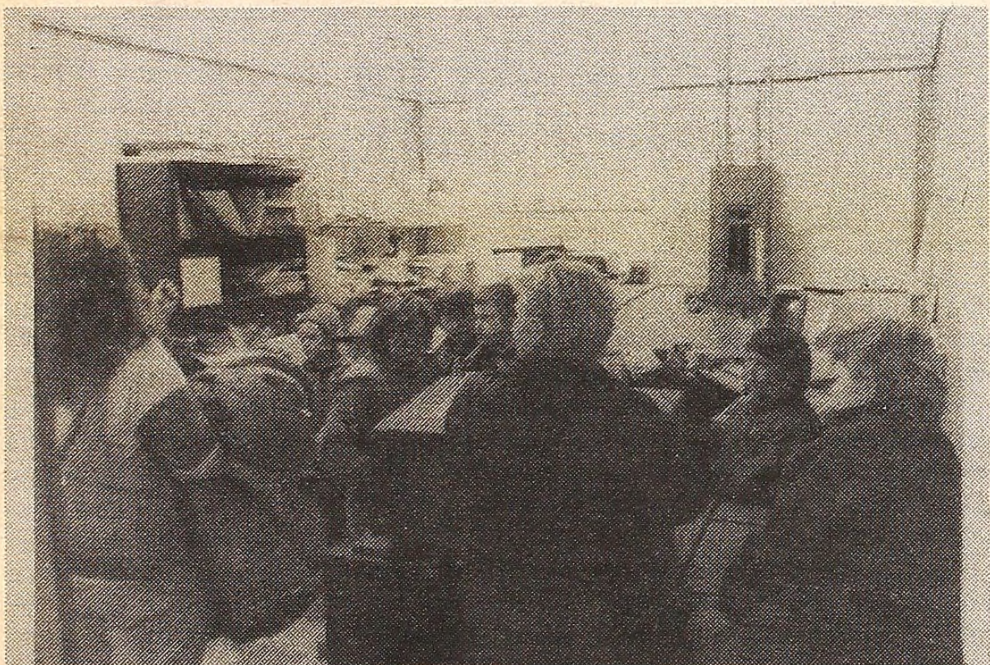
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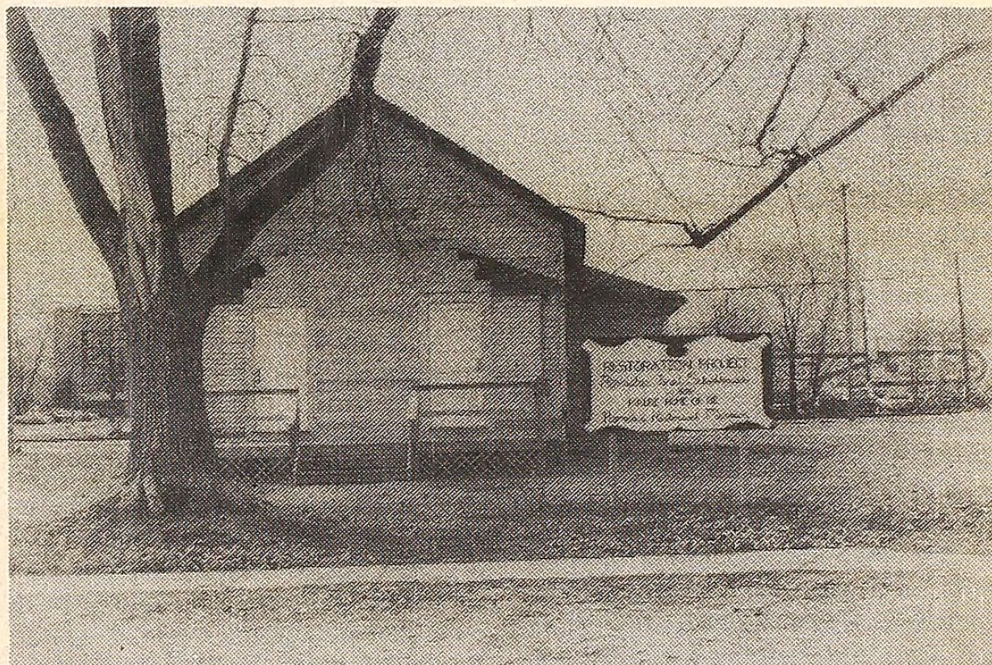
Work has started on remodeling the old Hughes service station.



Cub Scout Pack #1735, Den #5, visits *The Romulus News* on a chilly day in March.



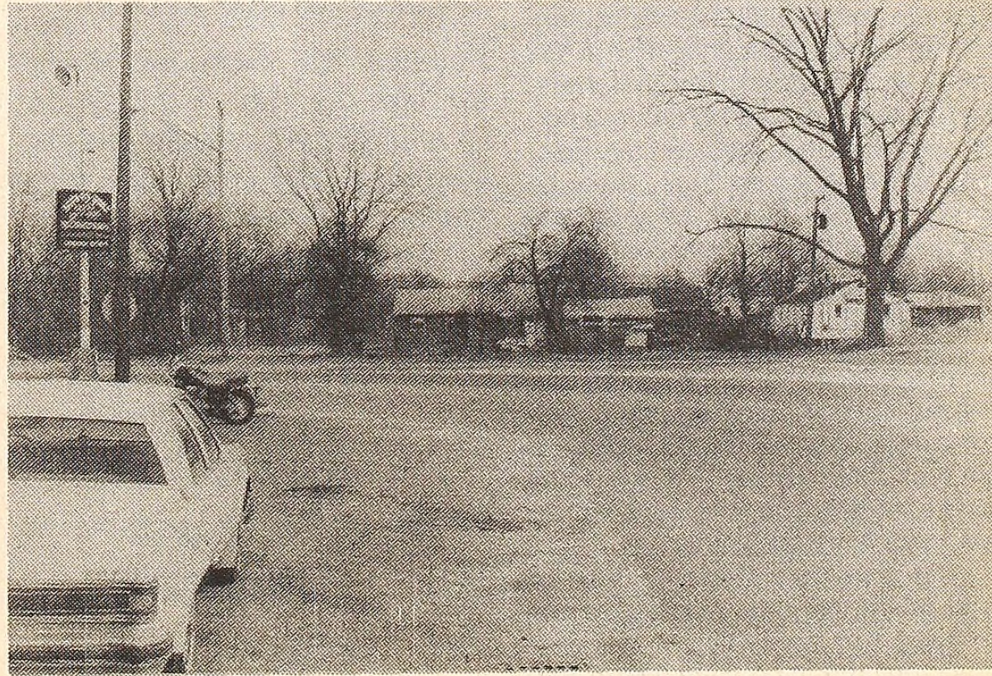
Children enjoy the typesetting department of *The Romulus News*.



New doors and porch installed on historical school building on Hunt Street near Goddard.



Back yard of a dwelling in the Ecorse Sub
"THOSE WHO LIVE IN GLASS HOUSES ---"



The curve in Goddard at the East end of town scheduled to be taken out.

KOSTEVA'S REPORT

James Kosteva, State Representative, 37th District
House Announces Alzheimer's Disease Package

A House subcommittee is working on a package of nine bills designed to provide financial assistance to persons with Alzheimer's Disease and related disorders. The bills would improve the diagnosis of Alzheimer's Disease, as well as Parkinson's and Huntington's diseases. The package would also provide funding for research, treatment and support services to family members and caregivers.

Tuition Guarantee Program to Enroll Participants

State lawmakers are encouraging Michigan residents to enroll in the legislatively created Michigan Education Trust Program (MET). The program allows Michigan families to invest in a State fund to guarantee four years of Michigan public college for their children. MET payments could be used to pay partial tuition at private colleges

or universities. A toll-free hotline has been established to provide MET information to interested residents — call 1-800-MET-4-KID (1-800-638-4543).

House Panel Approves Education Bill

A House committee recently approved legislation that would establish procedures for teachers to review and appeal grade changes made to a student's permanent record by administrators and school boards. The bill would further require a local board to establish disciplinary procedures for violations of the procedures for grade changing.

Parent Custody Legislation Reported

A House committee recently approved legislation that would require probate courts to stipulate specific child visitation provisions. Current law only mandates that visitation shall be "reasonable," but does not set specific hours.

Scrap Tire Bills Approved

Two bills that would regulate the disposal of scrap tires in the State were

recently approved by a House committee. One bill would impose restrictions on the disposal and accumulation of used tires. The other bill would impose a one-dollar surcharge to the price of each new tire sold in the State to support clean-up activities and help develop a market for recycled products made from those tires.

Drunk Driving Legislation Introduced

Legislation was recently introduced in the House that would strengthen Michigan's drunk driving laws. The bill would increase penalties for persons under the age of 21 who were found transporting alcohol in an automobile and for any driver found with open alcohol containers in a vehicle. The bill would also allow an accused drunken driver's refusal to take a 'breathalyzer' test to be used as evidence in a trial and restrict appeals of license revocations.

Bill Introduced to Improve Voter Registration Process

A House committee is considering a bill that would make voting less cum-

bersome for more Michigan voters. The bill would establish a computerized voter registration system and streamline the registration process.

Long-Term Insurance Package Passed

House lawmakers approved a package of bills that regulate the marketing of insurance that covers in-home or institutional long-term care expenses. The proposed legislation: prohibits insurers from inducing a potential buyer to replace current insurance coverage with a new policy that is more expensive and offers fewer benefits; requires plain-language explanation of a potential buyer's insurance policies; and requires long-term care policies to include individuals with Alzheimer's Disease or related brain disorders.

Legislative Forum is a weekly television program of news, discussion and commentary from the Michigan House of Representatives. Check local TV and Cable listings for stations and broadcast times. □

STRIKE

that seem a little childish, regardless of whom is in the right, but it is also dangerous. A passing motorist could easily be hurt by a thrown rock; a striker could easily get killed by running into the streets and in front of an oncoming vehicle during one of these confrontations. Who do you suppose would get sued in the event of either of these instances? Most likely, the City of Romulus. Guess who pays those law suits? *You, the taxpayer.* It doesn't make much sense, does it?

At the Council meeting on Monday night, Ellis Pennington said that he was rather upset about what was going on, and wanted something done about it. Pennington also made a motion, supported by Gear, that a letter be sent to the owner and builder, stating that the Council strongly objects to using non-union people on the construction of this motel. Mr. Raspberry said that everyone has the right to work, union or not, but even though it seemed that Raspberry was condoning 'scab' labor by his remarks to Council, he voted yes on the Pennington motion. The motion was carried, with Mr. Wadsworth and Mr. Bergeron dissenting.

There is evidently not much that the Council can do about the situation anyway, but it should be made known to the developer that the City does not like a situation where it is put in the middle, costing the taxpayers money that there is no excuse for.

The taxpayers, it seems, pay for every whim that hits people, whether it's good, bad, or indifferent. It is definitely time that it come to a stop, and that someone else be made to pay the costs incurred.

We are bothered enough with cars

being stolen by people outside of Romulus, dope coming in from outside of Romulus, and murders being committed and the bodies being dropped off in Romulus. It all costs money — money that the taxpayers should not have to use from their city's treasury.

If the City has to hire more police and fire protection because of outside crime, then maybe the surrounding cities should be made to pay their fair share.

According to Mayor McAnally, "The City got an injunction limiting the number of demonstrators allowed at the site to approximately 20 strikers. The judge felt 20 demonstrators was sufficient to put forth any message needed to be delivered, and it makes it easier for us to protect them as well," concluded McAnally. □

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Benefit for Jack Smith

On Friday, April 8, at 7 p.m., there will be a Bluegrass Jamboree for the benefit of Jack Smith, a Romulus resident who was hit by a car two months ago. The benefit will be held at the Wayne County Coon Hunters Club off of Wick Road in Romulus, and there will be many bands to entertain you. All proceeds will go to Jack and his family to help offset his many hospital bills and other expenses.

Jack is in leg casts up to his hips, and has had to have surgery many times since his accident. He has had bone taken out of his legs, and muscle taken from other parts of his body to be grafted onto his legs where the leg muscles were torn out. Jack will be in a wheelchair for a long time to come. Although he has begun his physical therapy, it is going to be a very long, slow, painful process.

Whether or not you are a Bluegrass lover, it would be nice if you could come to the jamboree. Dave Atkins, Editor of *The Romulus News*, will be there to auction off a few items, sell some raffle tickets, and do whatever else he can do to help. His lovely wife Evelyn, the backbone of *The Romulus News*, will be there too, and it is possible that Mayor Beverly McAnally, Councilman Ellis Pennington, and other Romulus Council members will be in attendance as well.

If you would like an enjoyable night out that will also help a Romulus resident get back on his feet, come to the jamboree Friday night. The Wayne County Coon Hunters Club is just off of Wick Road, about a half mile west of the Junior High School. Set back in the woods, it has a pleasant country atmosphere. □



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Hairport by the Airport

The Hairport sounds like a rather funny name for a business, especially a beauty salon, but on the other hand, if you're going to cut hair near the Airport, I suppose it is appropriate.

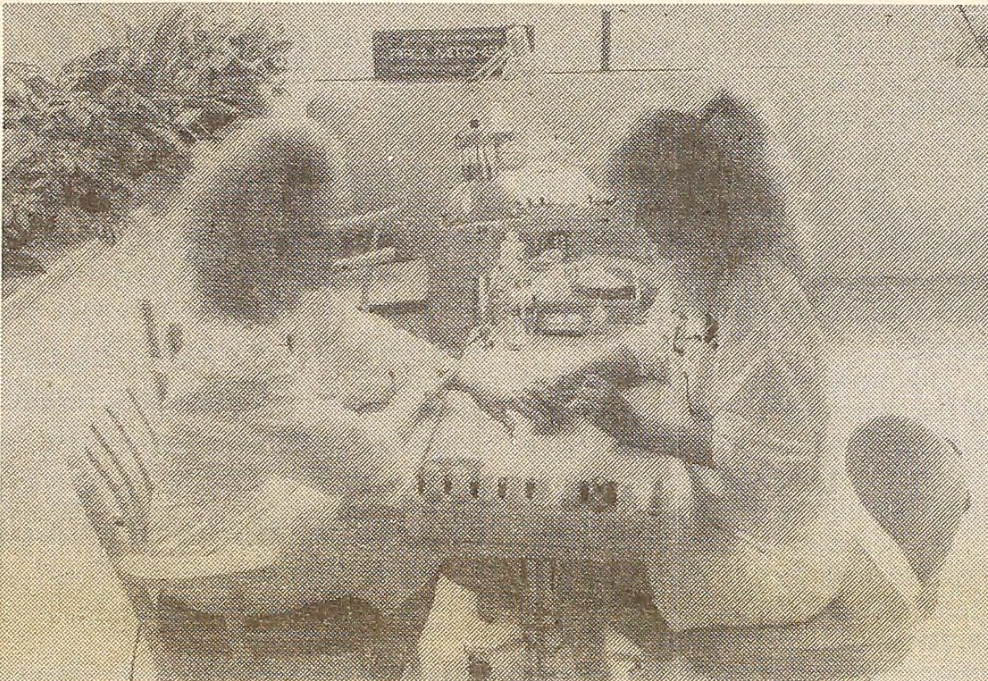
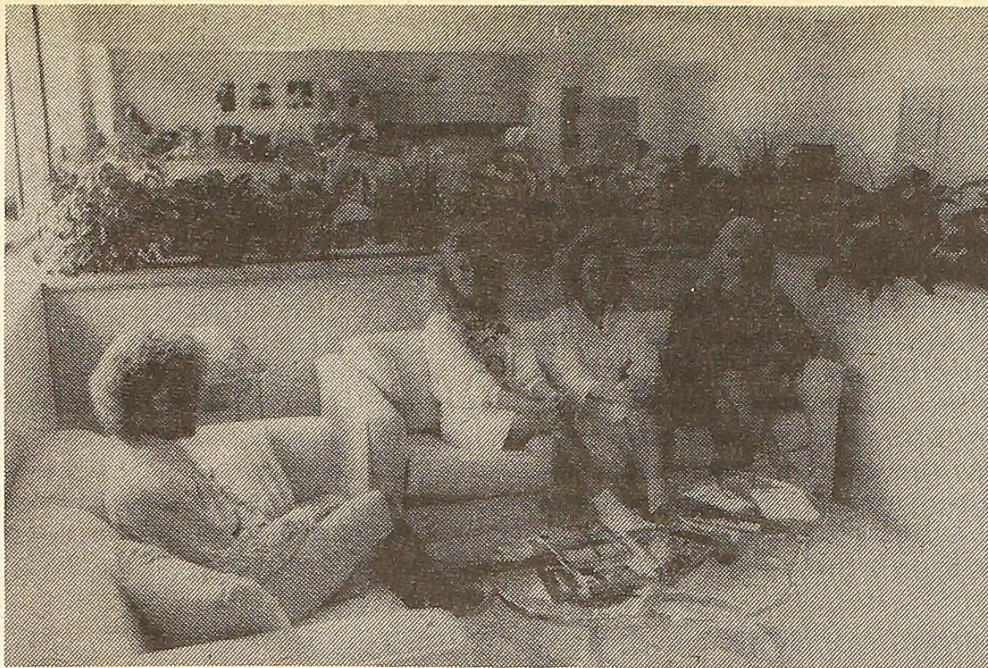
At least it's different — and so are the girls who work there.

All were dressed in white the day of the grand opening, and all of them were pretty, too — even the one who came into work late (sounds like someone else I know).

Anyway, to cut a long story short (a little pun here), the Hairport is a nice hair salon located just south of Ecorse Road on the east side of Merri-man. The girls — Nancy, Donna, Lynn, Bernetta, Jeannie, Rhonda, Shelly, and Carol — are all very nice young ladies who say they are ready, willing, and able to fix your hair just about any way you would like it done. They also have two nail booths and several dryers. The inside is done in very nice shades of gray and pink, and everyone there seems like very nice people.

It is a good thing when new business comes to Romulus, especially new business with young blood.

The Hairport is open six days a week, with appointments available and walk-ins welcome. If you need a manicure, pedicure, waxing, or hair coloring, you should make it a point to see the newest kids on the block at the Hairport. They are on Merriman Road across the street from the Travelodge Motel. □



Mastering Your Computer, Step by Step

by Dan Elwart, D.C.

Looking for a printer? This week I'll give you some tips on choosing the one for *your* needs.

Before actually looking at a printer, you first have to determine what you're going to use it for. Answer these questions first:

1. For what will it be used, primarily?
 - a) Typing letters
 - b) Making graphs or pictures
 - c) Doing accounting
 - d) Making newsletters
2. How much will you be using it?
 - a) Once in a while
 - b) Several times a day
 - c) Constantly throughout the week
3. What kind of paper or forms will it require?
 - a) Envelopes
 - b) Mailing labels
 - c) Stationery
 - d) Plain paper
 - e) Custom forms or checks
1. How many parts (1 through 6)
4. Is speed important?
5. Is quality of print important?
6. What kind of costs are you planning for it?
7. Will it require a special hookup to the computer?
 - a) Parallel interface (most common)
 - b) Serial interface
 - c) Special interface
8. Will you require color printing, and how much?

After you have answered these questions, you can start looking at printers. You have your choice of:

1. Laser printers (have best all-around quality)
2. Daisywheel printers (good for letters, but slow)
3. 24 pin Dot-Matrix printers (good all-around use)
4. 9 pin Dot-Matrix (the workhorse, but letter quality suffers)
5. Thermal printers (good for portable use or color printers)

All five of these printers are good, depending on your answers to the first eight questions.

Try to buy the best printer of the type you need. Sometimes it's better to buy a little better than what you need, especially if you're new to computers. Try to buy a brand that you can get serviced if necessary, and also try to get one for which you can get supplies readily.

If you have an opportunity, go to several stores and see what the more common brands are. Most of the time, this is probably your best bet. The more common the printer is, the better the chances are that it is a good one, and the more likely you are of finding supplies for it when your local, friendly dealer is temporarily out of stock. □

TAX TIP

from H&R Block

Dividends and Interest

Q. My \$10,000 savings account earned just over \$630 in interest last year. I did not withdraw any of the interest nor did I have the bank enter the \$630 in my savings account passbook. Do I have to pay tax on the interest?

A. Yes. The fact that interest is not actually withdrawn from the savings account or entered in a passbook does not make the interest nontaxable. The rule of 'constructive receipt' requires that both cash and accrual basis taxpayers report any income credited or made available without restriction during the year. Interest is constructively received when it is earned, not when withdrawn or entered in a passbook. □

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head in a residence. Sergeant Barnes was allowed into the residence by the subject, who told Barnes that if any other officer approached he would kill himself.

Lieutenant Early made telephone contact with Barnes and, after a number of hours, Barnes and Early decided it would be necessary to attempt to physically disarm the subject. Early convinced the armed subject to also allow him into the residence.

After a number of hours, Sergeant Barnes was able to knock the weapon away from the subject's head, and both officers wrestled the subject to the floor and disarmed him. He was then taken for psychiatric evaluation.

For their actions in intervening and preventing a possible loss of life, Sergeant Barnes and Lieutenant Early were awarded a Department Citation.

Officer Michael Coffey and Officer Michael Liebert

On February 2, officers responded to a residence where there was an assault in progress. As the officers approached the rear of the residence, a man, armed with a shotgun, exited the house and pointed it at Officer Liebert.

Officer Liebert stepped back from the oncoming person and told him to drop the weapon. The subject walked toward the officer and stated he would kill anyone on his property. As Officer Coffey approached, the gunman trained his weapon on Coffey and, again, stated, "I'll kill you." Both officers maintained their position and did not at-

tempt to use deadly force to defend themselves.

After a brief exchange where the subject continued to threaten the officers, he ran into the house and returned a short time later without the weapon, followed by other subjects from the residence. As the officer placed him under arrest, a physical altercation took place, which resulted in a number of subjects finally being subdued and taken into custody.

For their professionalism and courage when faced by an armed subject, and taking him into custody without the use of deadly force, officers Coffey and Liebert were awarded the Distinguished Service Award.

Special Departmental Commendation for all members who participated on the Pope John Paul II visit

The Romulus Police Department, under the direction of Lieutenant David Early, participated in the security detail surrounding the visit of Pope John Paul II. The Romulus Police Department provided the coordination and direction for the member communities of Downriver Mutual Aid and Western Wayne County Mutual Aid, a total of 32 police agencies.

The professionalism and support of the Romulus Police Department was formally recognized by the Wayne County Executive's Office and by the United States Secret Service.

For services rendered in an effective, professional, and well-organized operation, the participating members of the Romulus Police Department were

awarded a Departmental Commendation.

Meritorious Service Commemorative Ribbon

The City Council and the elected officials of the City of Romulus passed a resolution honoring the Romulus fire and police departments for their dedicated and outstanding service during the tragic crash of Northwest Flight #255, which occurred on August 16, 1987. In recognition of this award, and to be worn as a symbol of sympathy and compassion for those who died and the loved ones who survive them, the participating members of the Romulus fire and police departments were awarded a Meritorious Service Commemorative Ribbon. □

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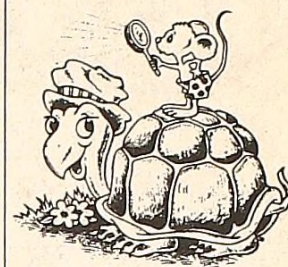
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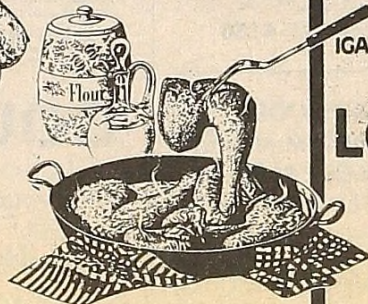
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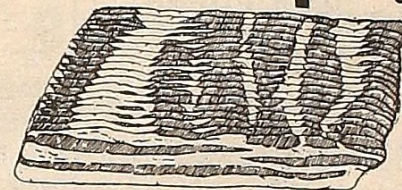
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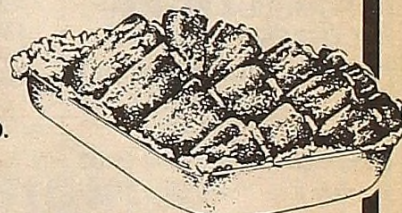
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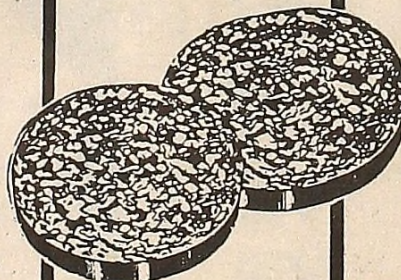
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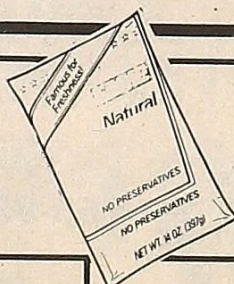


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